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SUBJ: MINFIN ELUCIDATES RESIDENTIAL DECREE ON DELCARATION OF
WEALTH

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1. MINFIN HAMED IN TV COMMENTARY FEBRUARY 7 STATED
PRESIDENTIAL DECREE REQUIRING SUBMISSION WITHIN THREE
MONTHS OF STATEMENT OF WEALTH BY ALL TAXPAYERS IS NOT DE-
SIGNIED AS BASIS FOR DIRECT TAXATION. RATHER, REQUIRING
DECLARATION EVERY THREE YEARS (POINT NOT INCLUDED IN DECREE)
IS MEANS OF COMPARISON BETWEEN NET WORTH OVER TIME AND TAX
RETURNS SUBMITTED ANNUALLY. OBJECT IS TO END TAX DELINQUENCY
AND EVASION, THUS MAKING BURDEN MORE EQUITABLE AND ENDING
SUSPICIONS OF NUMBER OF PUBLIC FIGURES. MINFIN SAID REQUIRE-
MENT IS EFFECTIVE FROM BEGINNING OF 1977.

2. COMMENT: ENACTMENT OF MEASURE MAY EARN POINTS FOR GOE AS
ATTEMPT TO COME TO GRIPS WITH RUMORED CORRUPTION IN GOVERNMENT
AND PROFITEERING. EFFECTIVE IMPLEMENTATION, OF COURSE, IS
ANOTHER QUESTION, AND WE HEAR ALREADY THAT NET WORTH DELCARATION
HAS HAD AT LEAST MARGINAL ADVERSE EFFECT ON INVESTMENT
CLIMATE, IN THAT QUESTIONS AS TO APPLICABILITY ARE BEING
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